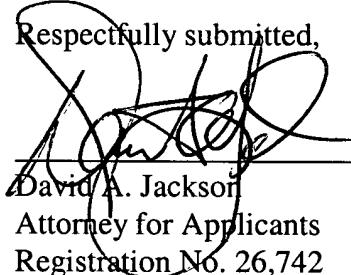


REMARKS

The Specification has been amended to include reference to PCT co-pending application number PCT/GB2005/000033 filed January 7, 2005, which claims priority to Great Britain Application No. 0400253.1 filed on January 7, 2004 and European Application Serial No. 04254726.5 filed on August 5, 2004.

The Claims have been amended to reduce multiple dependencies and to conform claims more closely to U.S. practice.

Entry of the foregoing amendments and early and favorable processing in the National Phase before the United States Patent and Trademark Office is courteously solicited.

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